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*Immigrants rejected at port of New York during November, 1897.*

U. S. IMMIGRATION SERVICE,  
MEDICAL DIVISION, BARGE OFFICE,  
New York, December 4, 1897.

*Report of the number of immigrants examined by the medical examiners at the port of New York during the month of November, 1897, and rejected as suffering from a loathsome or dangerous contagious disease.*

Date of certificate.	Name.	Years of age.	Native.	Ship.	Diagnosis.
Nov. 11.....	Judel Bicsek.....	8	Russia.....	Friesland.....	Favus.
Do.....	Sigmund Herzog.....	7	Austria.....	.....do.....	Do.
Nov. 15.....	Alam E. Rafah.....	25	Syria.....	California.....	Trachoma.
Do.....	Nagib Chidid.....	18	.....do.....	.....do.....	Do.
Nov. 19.....	Lea Slotzky.....	18	Russia.....	Kensington.....	Favus.
Do.....	Morris Baumer.....	9	Austria.....	Kaiser Wm. d. Grosse..	Do.
Do.....	Jacob Baumer.....	7	.....do.....	.....do.....	Do.
Nov. 23.....	Moshe Sternberg.....	9	Russia.....	Taormina.....	Do.
Nov. 26.....	Rize Gelber.....	47	Austria.....	Spree.....	Do.
Do.....	Jurius Nicola.....	10	Syria.....	.....do.....	Do.
Nov. 27.....	Hersh Mordkowitz....	7	Russia.....	Obdam.....	Do.
Do.....	Pietro Scalabrino ..	21	Italy.....	Bolivia.....	Do.
Do.....	Isaac Moses.....	9	Roumania.....	Obdam.....	Do.
Do.....	Moses Moses.....	1	.....do.....	.....do.....	Do.
Do.....	Gunhild Nielson.....	10	Sweden.....	Lucania.....	Do.
Do.....	John Nielson.....	4	.....do.....	.....do.....	Do.
Do.....	Carl Nielson.....	22	.....do.....	.....do.....	Do.
Nov. 30.....	Joze Stigliz.....	25	Austria.....	La Touraine.....	Do.
Do.....	Josef Margulis.....	8	Russia.....	Karlsruhe.....	Do.

a Months.

Number of steerage passengers examined during November..... 13, 474  
Rejected as suffering from loathsome or dangerous contagious diseases ... 19

Of the 19 immigrants rejected, 6 have been deported, and arrangements are being made by friends and charitable associations for the care and treatment of the others in hospital, to prevent their deportation, in accordance with Department Circular No. 172.

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Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

*Reports of States and yearly and monthly reports of cities.*

CONNECTICUT—*New Haven*.—Month of October, 1897. Estimated population, 110,000. Total deaths, 149, including phthisis pulmonalis, 19; enteric fever, 4, and diphtheria and croup, 5.

*Westport*.—Month of November, 1897. Estimated population, 4,000. Total deaths, 6, including 2 from phthisis pulmonalis.

ILLINOIS—*Springfield*.—Three weeks ended November 29, 1897. Estimated population, 31,000. Total deaths, 16, including 2 from phthisis pulmonalis.

IOWA—*Boone*.—Month of October, 1897. Estimated population, 9,000. Total deaths, 5. No deaths from contagious diseases.

*Cedar Rapids*.—Month of October, 1897. Estimated population, 21,000. Total deaths, 16, including phthisis pulmonalis, 2, and enteric fever, 1.

*Eldon*.—Month of October, 1897. Estimated population, 1,900. Total deaths, 2. No deaths from contagious diseases.

*Keokuk*.—Month of September, 1897. Estimated population, 19,305. Total deaths, 20, including phthisis pulmonalis, 2, and enteric fever, 2.

*Dubuque*.—Month of September, 1897. Population, 45,000. Total deaths, 32, including enteric fever, 2, and phthisis pulmonalis, 3.

*Ottumwa*.—Month of September, 1897. Estimated population, 18,000. Total deaths, 23, including phthisis pulmonalis, 3, and diphtheria, 3.

Month of October, 1897. Total deaths, 18, including diphtheria, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 1; enteric fever, 1, and whooping cough, 2.

KENTUCKY—*Louisville*.—Month of November, 1897. Estimated population, 215,572. Total deaths, 230, including phthisis pulmonalis, 42; enteric fever, 15; croup, 4, and diphtheria, 4.

LOUISIANA—*Shreveport*.—Month of November, 1897. Estimated population, white, 7,500; colored, 7,500, total, 15,000. Total deaths, 21, including 3 from phthisis pulmonalis.

MAINE—*Portland*.—Four weeks ended November 27, 1897. Estimated population, 41,500. Total deaths, 63, including phthisis pulmonalis, 8, and diphtheria, 7.

MICHIGAN.—Week ended November 27, 1897. Reports to the State board of health, Lansing, from 53 observers, indicate that measles, bronchitis, and pneumonia increased, and intermittent fever and diarrhea decreased in area of prevalence. Phthisis pulmonalis was reported present at 169 places, enteric fever at 53, diphtheria at 40, measles at 26, scarlet fever at 30, and whooping cough at 9 places.

NEW YORK.—Month of October, 1897. Reports to the State board of health, Albany, N. Y., from 152 cities, towns, and villages, show a total of 9,080 deaths, including diphtheria and croup, 370; enteric fever, 173; measles, 33; scarlet fever, 49; phthisis pulmonalis, 1,070, and whooping cough, 15.

The Monthly Bulletin says:

Nine thousand and eighty deaths from all causes were reported during the month; this is 500 less than for the month preceding. Of the zymotic diseases, with the exception of diarrheal diseases, the mortality has been greater this month, the increase amounting to 20 per cent; but the diarrheal mortality has decreased during the month considerably more than one-half, so that there is a saving of 700 deaths from this cause. The deaths from diphtheria have, on the other hand, increased from 260 to 370, and there is a small increase in typhoid fever and malarial diseases. In acute respiratory diseases there is an increase of 300 deaths during the month, and from consumption there were 75 more deaths. The mortality from all other classes of disease was identical with that of the month preceding, excepting that from diseases of the digestive system there has been a decrease in the number of deaths by 230, and accidental deaths were likewise fewer. These changes in the prevalence of and mortality from various classes of disease are seasonal and customary, the large decrease in digestive and diarrheal affections being partly offset by the increase of pulmonary diseases.

Compared with the corresponding month of last year there were 400 more deaths this month. This increase was among zymotic diseases

only in diarrhea, which caused 100 more deaths than a year ago; there was the same increase in the mortality for consumption, from nervous diseases, and from accidents. Compared with average mortality for October for ten years past there were 400 more deaths, but the increase was not in zymotic diseases, of all of which the indicated prevalence is less, but is in local diseases, and from accidents which caused an excessive number of deaths for the season. The death rate for the month was 16.75, that of September being 17.75 and that of October, 1896, 16. In the rural districts, where last month the diarrheal mortality was noted as excessive, it has continued this month to be fully equal to that of the rest of the State. The prevalence of typhoid fever is reported from 40 localities, scarlet fever from 35, and diphtheria from 50.

PENNSYLVANIA—*Plymouth*.—Month of November, 1897. Estimated population, 15,000. Total deaths, 19. No deaths from contagious diseases.

VIRGINIA—*Lynchburg*.—Month of November, 1897. Estimated population, 30,000. Total deaths, 19, including 2 from phthisis pulmonalis.

WISCONSIN—*Superior*.—Month of November, 1897. Estimated population, 35,000. Total deaths, 26, including 1 from enteric fever.